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## GOVERNOR JAMES STILL SILENT ON PRESIDENTIALAIMS

Political Observers Anticipate  
Softening of Chief Executive's Attitude

### COMMENT BY DEWEY

James Says He Will Do All In  
His Power To Wipe Out  
The New Deal

By Tom R. Brislin

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HARRISBURG, Dec. 7—(INS)—Pennsylvania's Gov. Arthur H. James continued silent today on the possibility of his becoming a candidate for the Republican Presidential nomination in 1940, but political observers anticipated a softening of the Chief Executive's attitude before long.

Time after time, Governor James has cast aside reports that he was seeking the Presidential nomination with the declaration that he had a job to do as Governor and had no further political ambitions until that job was completed.

Today, however, political seers foresaw the battle for the G. O. P. nomination next year narrowed down to two candidates—Governor James and New York's battling District Attorney, Thomas E. Dewey.

Even the Governor himself commented on the possibility of "the red-headed breaker-boy running up against the New York detective" in the struggle for control of the Republican National Convention.

The Governor parried all questions as to his Presidential ambitions with a declaration that the Republican candidate should be one who is "not just a Republican, but a man who is convinced that a change is needed and will fight for it."

Of reports that he would be asked to give the keynote address to the party's national convention next year—a spot that would definitely place him in the limelight for recognition as a candidate—Governor James said:

"I appreciate the gesture, but I think I ought to be a little mouse in the convention." The prospect "of getting up there and addressing all those people frightens me," he added.

The Chief Executive admitted that he would do all in his power to wipe the Roosevelt New Deal Administration from the White House in 1940—whether as a candidate or in his role as Pennsylvania's Republican No. 1. "When I ran for Governor," he asserted, "I was convinced that the national administration was not the one for our country." He added that since he has been in office that conviction has been even more impressed upon him.

The Governor conferred yesterday with State Senator G. Mason Owlett, Tioga County, Republican National Committeeman and Senate floor leader, relative to the possibility of a special legislative session to raise additional relief funds.

The Governor denied, however, that he discussed Presidential possibilities with Owlett, expected to make a race for the Republican nomination for U. S. Senator next year.

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Edward Kelber, 225 Monroe street, is a patient in Abington Hospital, being removed there yesterday in ambulance of Bucks County Rescue Squad.

Courier Classified Ads Bring Results  
and Costs Very Little.

### Sudden Heart Attack Is Fatal To G. S. Speck

CORNWELLS HEIGHTS, Dec. 7—Seized with a sudden heart attack as he dressed to go out yesterday, George S. Speck died at his residence, Simons avenue. He was 64 years of age.

Mr. Speck, husband of Mary T. Speck, leaves in addition to his wife, two daughters and two sons, namely: Miss Eva Speck and Mrs. Francis Johnson; Howard Speck of Cornwells Heights; and Walter Speck; Langhorne.

Dr. H. Clayton Moyer, Bucks County coroner, was summoned, and issued a certificate which gave cause of death as a heart ailment.

The late Mr. Speck was a member of the local lodge of the Patriotic Order Sons of America.

The funeral service will be conducted at the funeral home of Harold H. Haefner, Bristol Pike, on Saturday afternoon at two o'clock. The Rev. Arthur Sargis, pastor of Eddington Presbyterian Church, will officiate. Burial will be in Forest Hills Cemetery, Somerton. Friends may call Friday evening.

### SAYS BILLBOARDS DEPRECIATE VALUES

Are Considered A Detriment  
in Any Residential or  
Business Section

### MAR RURAL SCENERY

Billboards have long been considered unsightly and vigorous campaigns have been waged in many communities against them. They are considered a detriment to any community where they are placed and depreciate the value of property in that community.

The Bucks County Real Estate Board today made public a letter from the National Association of Real Estate Boards, Chicago, Illinois, and addressed to Mrs. W. L. Lawton, National Roadsides Council, 119 East 19th street, New York City.

The letter reads:

There is no question in my mind, nor in the minds of the authorities on depreciation in our Association, concerning the depreciating effect of billboards on real estate values. In good residential neighborhoods, billboards and outdoor advertising are sharply detrimental and are often the initial cause of blight which can destroy more than half of neighborhood values. Certainly the values of our countryside are injured by billboards. It has often been noted that counties or regions where billboards along the roadsides become plentiful are soon avoided by the traveling public, which prefers, of course, the roads where unspoiled nature can be enjoyed.

Real estate values are in part created by access to certain community facilities such as roads, municipal services, schools, libraries, and many other things. But real estate values are also created by what we call the amenities, the things that please the eye and our other senses. This fact is accepted, not only by common sense, but in our laws. An industry or a business which creates an unpleasant odor in any neighborhood given over to residences is declared to be a nuisance and can be removed. There is a growing recognition that we can also have visual nuisances.

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LONDON, Dec. 7—In one of the largest aerial battles of the war, at least 12 British fighting planes today engaged German reconnaissance craft at sea off the entrance to the Firth of Forth.

Results of the sky battle were not known, but it was said that no German flyer succeeded in reaching land or attacking the Firth, site of one of Britain's major naval bases in Scotland.

Residents of the east coast of Scotland huddled in air raid shelters during a 35-minute aerial alarm, and heavy gunfire was heard all along the coast.

### LATEST NEWS Received by International News Service Leased Wires.

### Join in "Give A Job" Drive

HARRISBURG, Dec. 7—Pennsylvania's retailers today joined with the Governor's "Give A Job" committee in seeking to create job opportunities for thousands of jobless in the state.

A vote of co-operation was expressed by retailing interests, following a round table discussion of the job drive's purpose. A meeting was called for next week in Philadelphia, at which an effort will be made to revive the now-dormant Pennsylvania Council of Retail Trade Associations.

The retailers hoped to make the Council the "spark-plug" organization. It was planned to draw upon promotional men from within the retail trade to aid in carrying forward a program of co-operation among manufacturers, wholesalers, retailers and consumers in the state fight to cut unemployment.

### Charge Use of Poison Gas

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 7—Soviet Russian troops used poison gas shells in an attack upon Finnish detachments, north of Lake Lodga, it was stated officially today, according to word received in Copenhagen.

The Finns suffered eleven gas casualties, the report stated.

### 100 Planes Expected By Finland

HELSINKI, Dec. 7—Finland expects a shipment of 100 fighting planes from Great Britain, in addition to the 50 received from Italy, it was learned today, coincident with an official denial of Soviet claims that the famed Mannerheim Line on the Carelian Isthmus had buckled under Russian pressure.

The main line of Finland's fortification in the south is holding fast, military officials said, while reports from mutual sources in Stockholm indicated another sweeping Finnish victory northeast of Kemeaevi, where 3,000 Russians were hurled back.

Finland has by no means called up all her army reserves, a spokesman said, indicating that when the new forces of the 150 planes from abroad is in active commission, offensive Finnish aerial activity may be anticipated.

Reports stated that Soviet army officials and the G. P. U. had executed 21 Russian pilots following their effort to renew attacks upon Finland.

### GETS YEAR IN JAIL AND MUST PAY DEBT OWED

Judge Boyer Lectures Man  
Accused of Giving  
Worthless Check

### PURCHASED 46 HOGS

DOYLESTOWN, Dec. 7—Judge Boyer sentenced Francis Morris, 41, 118 Clifton avenue, Collingdale, to pay the costs of prosecution, serve not less than three months nor more than one year in the county prison, and told him not to apply for parole until he has made good the payment of \$300 owed a Langhorne farmer.

Morris changed his plea from not guilty to guilty after he had testified. Morris bought 46 hogs for \$300 from a Langhorne farmer, Robert Worrell, and gave an alleged worthless check. He was permitted by Judge Calvin S. Boyer to withdraw his plea of not guilty and enter a plea of guilty.

Judge Boyer, who excused the jury, sentenced Morris, who has been in similar trouble four separate times.

Taking the advice of his Court appointed counsel, A. Paul Townsend, Jr., and pleading guilty after he had practically convicted himself before the jury during his own testimony the defendant, Morris, who also bought hay and corn from the Langhorne farmer after posing as a reputable produce man, was given a severe reprimand by Judge Boyer.

"This was a deliberate attempt at least to get credit to which you were not entitled," said Judge Boyer. "You may have hoped to get enough money to pay Robert Worrell \$300 for his pigs because you knew that he wouldn't have sold them to you on credit. You thought after you had the pigs he might whistle for his money. Morally you are no better than a thief."

"It is a contemptible thing to pose as a reputable dealer when all the time you knew that you were deceiving the man. You represented yourself as having bank accounts in good banks and having been in business for a number of years. You have injured every person who attempts to buy on credit in Bucks county."

"Your kind of conduct kills all credit between a dealer and producer in your kind of business. The Court hasn't a

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### TIDES AT BRISTOL

High water ..... 11:36 a. m., 12:00 p. m.

Low water ..... 6:05 a. m., 6:38 p. m.

If you have a house to rent, advertise it in the Courier.

### Here and There in Bucks County Towns

Although only 13 years of age, John, Claire Fennerty will be busy with his new duties and unable to attend, the program committee has secured as the leading speaker, J. Gordon Mason, of Luzerne county, Assistant Attorney General assigned to the Department of Forests and Waters.

In addition, other speakers will include Mrs. Humbert Burton Powell, Devon, president of the Pennsylvania Council of Republican Women; Mrs. Josephine Bright, contact member of the newly-appointed Commerce Department of the Commonwealth of Forests and Waters.

There will be music by one of Philadelphia's outstanding harpists, Dorothy Johnstone Baseler.

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Flynn, of 50 Green street, Morrisville, celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary when they were tendered a surprise party with a few friends present at their home.

Mr. Flynn, the former Miss Mary Flanagan, of Trenton, and Mr. Flynn, born in Washington, N. J., were married at the Immaculate Conception Church, in Trenton, on November 29, 1889. They lived two years in Trenton and spent the rest of their married life in Morrisville.

Mr. Flynn is employed in the Vulcanized Rubber Company, where he has worked for the past 45 years. They have one child, Mrs. Gilbert Howell.

Although it was not one of the largest gates ever taken in at the annual Turkey Day classic—the Doylestown High School-Lansdale football game—Supervising Principal J. Leonard Halderman, of the Doylestown Schools, announced that the County Seafers will receive \$672.83 as their share of the receipts this year.

Mr. Halderman, who explained the largest gate took place two years ago, said the total receipts amounted to \$1395.66. Because the game was played in Doylestown, the home team receives the sum of \$50 to defray the expenses of the "host team" which invariably amount to more than that.

Therefore, the County Seafers' actual share of \$1395.66 was \$722.83, including the additional \$50 for expenses.

The Doylestown school head was gratified by the support given the football game but deplored the fact that many of the other football games during the season were not self-supporting.

If there is one thing the entire family will thank Santa Claus for down through the years, it is a motion picture machine. And with models on the market for taking home "movies," at such reasonable rates, these days, almost any family can afford one.

Clear-cut action pictures of the baby, of the older youngsters at their play and hobbies, of mother and dad to be cherished in the future, and to be shown to countless friends as they are entertained in the home—what better choice could be made? Nichols Photographic Studio, 116 Wood street, will care for this item on the family list with suggestions and instructions gladly given.

"Beauty aids for hands, hair, face and skin" is the manner in which the Edna Mae Beauty Shop, 325 Mill street, makes its gift suggestions. Those who are in doubt as to just what type of beauty aids to purchase for the proposed recipient, Edna Mae is ready to offer her services as far as gift suggestions are concerned.

Jumbo, the elephant, stands ready to march right into the heart of a little boy or girl on Christmas morning. On his perch at Tranott's dispaly window, 425 Jefferson avenue, Jumbo on a wheeled platform of green and red, quite suggestive of Christmas, beats a miniature xylophone as he is pulled on his little red wheels. This is a safe toy, and a sturdy one, the type that will bring many days of happiness to the little boy or girl.

Jury Acquits Three  
In Weapon Trial

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 7—Henry Roberts, 25, of Morrisville, was acquitted by a Mercer Court jury yesterday of a charge of carrying a concealed weapon, and two companions, Rocco Zarrilla, of 576 South Clinton avenue, and Girard Radice, of 432 Elmer street, won directed verdicts of acquittal on similar charges. The jury of five women and seven men deliberated two and one-half hours.

The trio stood joint trial on the charges, which grew out of an alleged threat to take Joseph Cusitor, of 332 Union street, "for a ride" for purportedly keeping company with the wife of one of the defendants.

It is expected that hundreds of children and their parents will be on hand this evening to witness Santa's entry on Mill street as he rides down the length of the street on a special float that has been prepared for the evening.

Donations of odds and ends will be appreciated. Call 3118, or stop in at the Community Center. There is need for such things as half pint and pint glass jars, toys and games, women's old stockings, dress goods, sewing thread and paint.

ADVERTISING DEADLINE  
EFFECTIVE NOVEMBER 27TH

All display advertising copy for insertion in the Courier must be at the Courier office not later than 12 o'clock noon two days previous to day on which the advertising is to appear. We reserve the right to reject copy received after the designated time.

This rule is made necessary in order to give the mechanical department ample time in which to set the ad and properly illustrate it. It is hoped that advertisers will co-operate and make reservations for space desired and furnish their copy on time.

Santa will be here tomorrow evening, Saturday afternoon and evening and every evening next week and the following week.

It was because of a special invitation to Santa from the Mill Street Business Men's Association that

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ALIVE: 29,000

The last four years have witnessed, year by year, a steady reduction in the auto accident fatality rate. From 1935 to date, the rate per 100,000,000 miles of motor vehicle operation has been reduced by much more than one-third. As reported by the National Safety Council, the record is as follows:

1935	17.4
1936	16.4
1937	15.9
1938	12.9
1939*	10.9

\*six months

This record is the more gratifying because the automobile industry itself, through its Automotive Safety Foundation, has helped accomplish the reduction. Through the Foundation and in collaboration with other organizations, it has conducted research in traffic engineering, enabled technical personnel training, fostered safety education, better laws and law enforcement and in other ways tried to make motoring safer, the automobile less a menace.

The reduction of the fatality rate from 17.4 to 10.9 has been the means of saving, it is estimated, 29,000 lives. It is something to have had even a small part in such an accomplishment and a great deal to have played so considerable a part as the Automotive Safety Foundation certainly has.

Much remains to be done. Reduced though the toll is, more than 14,000 people lost their lives in traffic accidents during the first six months of this year. According to the Foundation, the fatality rate can be reduced in the next four years to six and eventually to three, given modern express highways on the principal routes of urban and suburban congestion.

It is toward this latter objective—engineered safety on the roads—that the Foundation now is bending its efforts.

**AERONAUTICAL WONDER**

The world's fastest airplane powered by the world's most efficient air-cooled engines will emerge soon from the laboratories of the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics. That is the word which comes from Langley Field.

A new knifelike wing, which is a secret military secret, will enable an airplane to fly at speeds of 500 miles or more because it will nearly eliminate the "shock wave" which develops on a wing surface when a plane's speed approaches the speed of sound. The new engine, some of which are reaching the production stage, will have three times the power of present engines. This development, which required eight years of research by the committee's engineers, is merely a different arrangement of the fins, or strips of metal lining the outside of the engine cylinders to carry away excess heat.

Such terrific power increase creates another problem—new propellers which can utilize all the power available. The committee's engineers are at work on propellers of larger diameter. They may have four or six blades instead of the present two or three.

Meanwhile, the Wright Aeronautical Corporation has developed a new "booster" for airplane engines which will keep their power output constant up to altitudes of 20,000 feet or more. Present engines generating 1,000 horsepower at sea level lose power gradually in ascending to high altitudes.

**"RED EARTH" by TOM GILL****SYNOPSIS**

At Miracle Mesa, the Douglas ancestral estate near Mexico, a girl named Lola awaits the return of her fiance, Jack Douglas, after an absence of six years. Lola is the adopted daughter of Jack's Aunt Ines. Her friend, Alison Neale, owner of the neighboring ranch, hopes Jack is the leader they are waiting for to fight the raiders. In an adobe up the trail two men also discuss Jack's return. "If you're wise you won't let Jack Douglas live two days once he comes back. Baker" (one of Jack's riders) "is telling the world what will happen when Douglas comes back," says one. "It's time I made an appointment with Baker," the other replies.

**CHAPTER II**

Through the night that distant thunder rumbled nearer, and before dawn the last of the spring storms broke over the foothills. Not until darkness did the downpour give any respite to two drenched and weary riders splashing along the Verde road.

The rider in front was thick-set, with powerful legs and shoulders sitting his horse in a kind of aggressive solidity—a heavy, bear-like man. The other was taller but of slender build, and he rode almost carelessly, with the instinctive assurance of a born horseman.

Suddenly the horse of the forward rider raised its head, its gait slackened as if at some message borne down the wind, and feeling that change, the rider reined in to a halt. He cupped his hand above the storm.

"This horse hears something."

They had stopped just where the road dipped over the edge of a dry arroyo, and uneasily the thick-set rider peered down the deep bank. With ears alertly forward, both horses sniffed the air, and in the same moment a sudden lull in the wind's clamor brought to their riders the deep booming of galloping hoofs from the north.

With a sharp word of warning the burly rider patted his companion back into the shadow of the mesquite barely an instant before a band of horsemen came tearing around the bend.

Dark and inscrutable, grimly silent, they hurried past the silent watchers just above them until once more the only sound was the rustle of desert sand before the wind.

The burly man leaned forward. "Raiders! Some rancher will find himself out of luck to-morrow morning."

"Raiders? I do not understand."

"Well, you've just seen some of the outfit that's making all this valley eat out of their hand."

"They are outlaws?"

"You might call 'em that."

"Where do they go, these raiders?"

"Nobody knows."

"But it should be an easy thing to track so large a band, no?"

There was just the slightest trace of accent in the man's voice, a momentary deliberation of speech that gave to what he said an air of hesitation, but the things that stood out clearest of all was the arresting quality of the voice itself, an effortless resonance that seemed to hold something of the eagerness of youth and something too of the self-possession that comes with maturity. But now that eager quality was uppermost.

"Raiders," he repeated. "Let us follow them, Paxton. It will be exciting."

The other barked a laugh of irritation. "Not for me. Two months ago a band of raiders burned Simpson's barn. Simpson rode out single-handed to track them down. Maybe he thought it might be exciting too. But these birds don't play that way. Ten miles from where Simpson started to trail 'em they dropped off a guard to stop any ambitious rider that might come loping along. The whole story was there in the sand. We buried Simpson where we found him."



The horseman slipped from the saddle and crouched low.

The tall man raised eloquent eyebrows. "And because one rancher has been killed, does all the border submit to a handful of raiders?"

With mounting anger Paxton turned in his saddle. "Have you had much experience with this sort of thing over in Spain, Douglas? Because if you haven't, you better take my word that here on the border it ain't a safe game."

Those eyebrows lifted even higher. "Dios," Douglas marveled, "was it then of safety we were speaking? Almost all my life I have lived in this border country, but never before have men talked to me of night-riding friends."

Paxton's face flushed. "You've been away six years, Jack Douglas—so maybe you wouldn't know that people don't accuse me of being yellow."

Without replying Douglas had leaned forward over his horse's shoulder, his face turned intently up the arroyo, for a sharp click of stones told of the approach of yet another rider. Almost at once a dim figure galloped around the bend, coming to a halt directly beneath them, and after a second's hesitation, the horseman slipped from the saddle and crouched low in the desert sands.

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**INTERESTING NEWS ITEMS OF NEARBY TOWNS****HULMEVILLE**

Thomas Nickerson spent two days last week in the Poconos, deer hunting.

**LANGHORNE**

Mr. and Mrs. William L. Guckes, Greensboro, N. C., have been spending several days with relatives in this vicinity.

A kitchen shower was given by Mrs. Clifford Nangle at her home, East Richardson avenue and Cherry street, Friday evening, December 1st, in honor of Miss Jane F. Boat, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William R. Boat, whose engagement to John S. Hershey has been announced. About 25 enjoyed the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Monroe announce the birth of a daughter, Sarah, in Mercer Hospital, Trenton, N. J., on December 1st.

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**EMILIE**

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bramley, Bristol, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis V. Cox and Alexander Wilson and Miss Lidie Wilson.

George Barton, Frankford, was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Booz.

Mrs. Anna Leonard was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lear, Trenton, N. J.

Mrs. Clara Davis, Miss Helen Davis and Lewis Davis, Philadelphia; and Mr. and Mrs. William Davis, Newtown, were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Emma Davis.

Thomas Morris, Trenton, N. J., was a recent visitor of his sister, Mrs. Francis Praul.

Mrs. Anna Leonard had as recent

**NEWPORTVILLE**

Mr. and Mrs. James Weston, Mrs. H. Brown and Mrs. W. Richardson attended a funeral of a friend in West Philadelphia, Friday.

Herbert Bramley, who has been making his home with his grandfather in Breezewood, spent the week-end with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Bowker and son Walter visited Mr. and Mrs. James Ritter, Fox Chase, Sunday.

**EDGELY**

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# PARTIES

# SOCIAL EVENTS

# ACTIVITIES

## Trenton-Morrisville Art Group Has An Exhibition

MORRISVILLE, Dec. 7—Art is being delivered to the public by the Trenton-Morrisville Art Group, which is now staging its fifth annual exhibition.

The Trenton public library and its branches, and the Roebling public library are the sites where exhibits are being staged, in place of "Summerset," where they have been conducted in the past.

The artists whose works are now on display at these centers include: Mrs. Virginia Benedict, Yardley; George A. Bradshaw, Mrs. Lillie Cook, Earl Donelson, Charles M. Fox, Edith Green, Graham Holmes, Henry R. MacGinnis, Marion MacKinnon, Joseph Remlinger, Leon Rohrbocker, Mrs. W. Bradford Stryker, Luther Wenner, Marion Williams, Trenton, N. J.; Rachel Carver, Roy Kneeland, Amy Wells and Gordon White, all of Morrisville; Charles Ward, Carversville, and John Charry, of New Hope.

Oils, water colors, etchings and sculpture are on view, giving variety and interest to the exhibition. Mrs. Benedict is showing two oil paintings, one, "Red Babushka," being in the clear direct Robert Henri style. Mr. Bradshaw is showing one etching, "Stony Brook Bridge."

Miss Carver has entered two oils, "October Days" and "Louise," which reveal the artist's tendency to cling to the more academic method of expression. The oil, "Grampa Welton," reveals Lillie Cook in a new light as a portraitist.

Three oils by Earl Donelson are be-

### Today's Quiet Moment

(By Howard L. Zepp, Th. M.)

Lord, this is the grace I want—the grace to suffer and wait. When Thou dost allow me to be shut in by the way, help me to see that these prisons—these sick rooms, these stormy days, these thwarted plans, these sorrows of lonely grief—are waiting places through which I may presently pass to wider, richer experience and service.—Amen.

ing shown, "Music Through Ages," and one other, "Calla Lilies." Charles Fox is represented by "Turkey Oaks," painted in an unusual key and typical of Autumn. Edith Green has two paintings, "Brother and Sister" and "Buzzy and His Elephant."

"Rocky Coast, Cape Breton," is one of the two oils being shown by Henry MacGinnis and is a fine example of strong, deliberate handling. The other work is "Delphinium."

Three pastels by Marion Hankin MacKinnon are direct and unusually strong and Graham Holmes' "Bucks County" is a landscape clear in tone and full of light, while his "Lumberville" is treated in terms of pattern and color. He also has one portrait on view. Mr. Kneeland's "From a Country Garden" is well thought out in line and pattern.

Charles Ward, who did the murals in Trenton's new post office, is displaying three paintings done on a recent trip to Mexico, which are of unusual interest, and Miss Wells has entered "Union Street, Morrisville," an oil, and "Yardley Graveyard," a water color.

The "Still Life With Fish," by Joseph Remlinger, is reminiscent of the Dutch and Flemish masters in the fine handling of textures.

Etchings are also displayed by Leon Rohrbocker. They include "D. and R. Canal at Trenton," "Barnegat" and "In Tintagel Village."

Lytic K. Stryker has an interesting oil, "Ninety-Two Years," and Gordon White two oils done in Vermont. Marion Williams is represented by a "Self Portrait." Luther Wenner has exhibited illustrations for a book on Pennsylvania German architecture.

The sculpture in the show is the work of John Charry.

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### In a Personal Way

INTERESTING bits of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings...

Mrs. William K. Highland, Tunkhannock, formerly of Bristol, is now spending the Winter at Atlantic City, N. J.

Mrs. A. D'Ambrosia and daughter Judy, Cedar street, spent Monday with Mrs. Catherine Holland, Philadelphia.

Miss Florence DeVoe, Frankford, was a Sunday guest of her aunts, Mrs. Bertha Stout and Miss Mary DeVoe, Wood street. Miss DeVoe is quite ill at her home.

Miss Marie Rousseau, Beaver Road, who has been ill for a week, is now able to be out.

Mrs. L. H. Willbrite, Cedar street, has returned from a week's visit with friends at Wilmington, Del.

Mrs. William White and son William, 219 Jackson street, spent Monday until Wednesday in Dundalk, Md., visiting Mrs. Alfred Layng.

Mrs. Samuel Crowthers and son Harry, Taft street, spent Saturday in

Philadelphia, visiting Mrs. Crowthers' sister, Mrs. Frank Fau.

Victor Johnson, 246 Hayes street, spent Friday until Sunday in Clearfield, on a hunting trip. Charles Snyder, Croydon, accompanied Mr. Johnson on the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Gillies, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. William Gillies, Jr., Miss Doris Hibert, Mr. and Mrs. James Mild, Mrs. Russell Marshall, Bristol; John Ross, Philadelphia, and Mr. and Mrs. John Gillies, Collingdale, attended the MacGregor Golf Club banquet, Saturday evening, in Philadelphia.

Carl Nelson, Jr., and George Nelson, Roosevelt street, Hubert Nelson, Pine street, and Richard Doyle, Wheat-sheat, have returned from a trip to Parkersburg, W. Va., where they were guests of Mrs. Ethel Staley, for five days.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Vandenburg returned to their home on Roosevelt street, after spending a week in Massachusetts. While Mr. Vandenburg made a business trip through the State, Mrs. Vandenburg visited Mrs. Richard Taylor in Belmont.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Vanzant, Hopewell, were Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tomlinson, 214 Walnut street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Summershaw and son William, Mayfair, were Sun-

day guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Harvie, Oxford Valley Road.

Arthur Horn and son Fred, Camden, N. J., were Tuesday guests of friends in Bristol.

Mrs. Nicholas Reed and son Elwood, Scranton, have been visitors this week of Mrs. Reed's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Coon, Jefferson avenue.

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### MARRIAGE LICENSES

LeRoy E. Wallace, 21, Mae E. Bates, 21, Conshohocken.

Farnk H. Peiffer, 21, 1854 Tulip street, Barbara Reeder, 21, 2807 Tulip street, Philadelphia.

Edward Cuthbert, 21, 2218 South Lee street, Anna M. Fanger, 21, 2252 South Lee street, Philadelphia.

Eugene T. Christmas, 28, 2301 North 2nd street, Matilda McAleese, 21, 263 West Mayfield street, Philadelphia.

George L. Sheppard, 22, 2952 Cedar street, Corinne C. Kelly, 21, 2332 East Allegheny avenue, Philadelphia.

Charles E. Collins, Jr., 26, 346 Church Lane, Eleanor M. Kulp, 27, 2415 North 18th street, Philadelphia.

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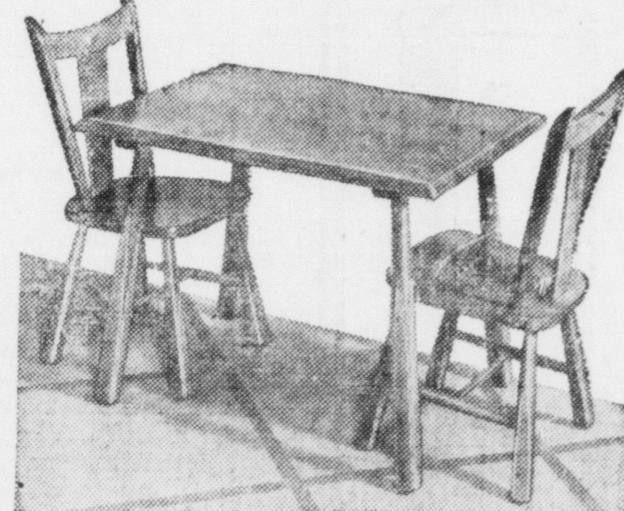


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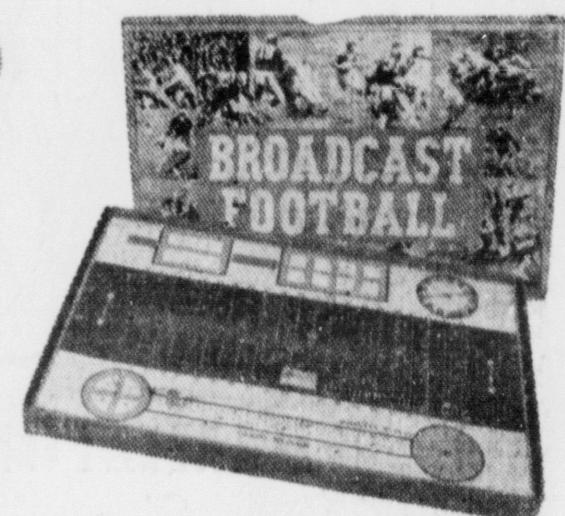
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